PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY LOCAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE MINUTES

July 10, 2013 3:00 P.M.

Committee Members Present: Debbie Mahaffee, Pam Horak, Linda Beard

Committee Members Absent: Robbie Kelly, Ann Pascoe, Carol Stair

CSB Staff: Cora Swett

Regional Human Rights Advocate – Kevin Paluszak

LHRC Affiliates Present:

ARC Greater Prince William-INSIGHT – Susan Rudolph, Christina Nicole Community Concepts, Inc./Community Vision – Peter Whang, Donalda Jones, Belinda Laryea
Victoria Transcultural Services – Igbiacio Basareiri
Phoenix-N-Peace – Sylvia Newby

Behavior Consultants:

Alternative Path Training School – Gerri Barbato

CSB, Supported Living Services – Linda Pemberton

The regular scheduled meeting of the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee was convened on July 10, 2013 at 3:00 p.m. in the Conference Room, Prince William Club, 8521 Phoenix Drive, Manassas, Virginia.

NOTE: DUE TO LACK OF QUORUM, CHAIRMAN APPOINTED A COMMITTEE OF THREE TO CONDUCT BUSINESS AND THE ACTIONS THAT WERE TAKEN WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE FULL COMMITTEE AT THE AUGUST MEETING FOR RATIFICATION.

NOTIFICATION OF NEW ADDRESS FOR COMMUNITY CONCEPTS, INC. AS FOLLOWS:

Community Concepts, Inc. will be expanding its day services to include a new site location at 3460 Commission Court, Woodbridge, VA 22192 beginning July 1, 2013. The new location will support up to 50 additional individuals.

Community Concepts, Inc. is relocating one of our current residential service sites currently locted at 5591 Hobsons Choice Loop, Manassas, VA 20112 too 18460 Kerrill Road, Triangle, VA 22172 beginning July 1, 2013.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

RESOLUTION 07-10-01

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee has reviewed the minutes of June 5, 2013; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the amended minutes of the June 5, 2013 meeting.

Vote:

Ayes--Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays—None
Abstained From Vote - None
Absent During Vote—
Absent From Meeting—Kelly, Stair, Pascoe

AUTHORIZED CLOSED SESSION

RESOLUTION 07-10-02

MOTION: Mahaffee SECOND: Beard

WHEREAS, the Prince William County Local Human Rights Committee desires to discuss in Closed Session client related matters; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to VA Code 2.1-344(A) paragraph 15 for the protection of the privacy of individuals and their records in personal matters not related to public business such discussions may occur in Closed Session;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William County Local Human Rights Committee does hereby authorize discussion of the aforestated matters in Closed Session.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays—None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting—Kelly, Pascoe, Stair

CERTIFICATION OF CLOSED SESSION

RESOLUTION 07-10-03

MOTION: Mahaffee SECOND: Beard

WHEREAS, the Prince William County Local Human Rights Committee has this day adjourned into Closed Session in accordance with a formal vote of the Committee, and in accordance with the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

WHEREAS, the Freedom of Information act requires certification that such Closed Session was conducted in conformity with the law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William County Local Human Rights Committee does hereby certify that to the best of their knowledge only matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements and only such matters for the protection of the privacy of individuals and their records in personal matters not related to public business were heard, discussed or considered.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays—None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting—Kelly, Stair, Pascoe

RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN REVIEWS:

Reviewed Update from June 5, 2013 meeting for E.K.

APPROVED CONTINUED USE OF RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR DEANA F.

RESOLUTION 07-10-04

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Deana F. has been reviewed and approved for use by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Plan for Deana F. has been presented to the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee for approval;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the use of the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Deana F.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays—None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting --Kelly, Stair, Pascoe

APPROVED CONTINUED USE OF RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR ROBBIE A.

RESOLUTION 07-10-05

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Robbie A. has been reviewed and approved for use by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Robbie A. has been presented to the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee for approval;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the continued use of the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Robbie A.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays—None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting --Kelly, Stair, Pascoe

APPROVED CONTINUED USE OF THE RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR JOSH M.

RESOLUTION 07-10-06

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Josh M. has been reviewed and approved for use by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Josh M. has been presented to the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee for approval; and

WHEREAS, the Committee made some recommendations to the Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the use of the Restrictive Behavior Plan with recommendations for Josh M.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Absent From Meeting —
Nays—None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—Kelly, Pascoe, Stair

APPROVED THE RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR TEVY M.

RESOLUTION 07-10-07

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Tevy M. has been reviewed and approved by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Tevy M. has been reviewed by the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Committee made some recommendations to the Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the Restrictive Behavior Plan with recommendations for Tevy M.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays--None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting --Kelly, Pascoe, Stair

APPROVED THE RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR NATHAN J.

RESOLUTION 07-10-08

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Nathan J. has been reviewed and approved by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Nathan J. has been reviewed by the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Nathan J.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Pascoe, Horak
Nays--None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting --Kelly, Beard, Stair

APPROVED THE RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR MONIQUE A.

RESOLUTION 07-10-09

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Monique A. has been reviewed and approved by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Monique A. has been reviewed by the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Monique A.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Beard, Horak
Nays--None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting --Kelly, Pascoe, Stair

APPROVED THE RESTRICTIVE BEHAVIOR PLAN FOR ASHLEY C.

RESOLUTION 07-10-10

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Ashley C. has been reviewed and approved by the Behavior Management Committee of the Prince William County Community Services; and

WHEREAS, the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Ashley C. has been reviewed by the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Local Human Rights Committee does hereby approve the Restrictive Behavior Plan for Ashley C.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Beard, Horak
Nays--None
Abstained--None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting --Kelly, Pascoe, Stair

REVIEWED MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORTED LIVING PROGRAM RESIDENT AGREEMENT

Linda Pemberton, Program Manager for the Community Services Supported Living Services, presented the House Rules for the program. There were recommendations for some changes. Ms. Pemberton will made revisions and send to the Liaison of the Committee for inclusion in the August meeting for final approval.

ANNUAL PROGRAM REVIEW

VICTORIA TRANSCULTURAL SERVICES

Mr. Basaeri presented the Quarterly and Annual reports for Victoria Transcultural Services. They are licensed for three services but are currently only providing Intensive In-Home services to children 2-21 years of age.

PHOENIX-N-PEACE -

Ms. Sylvia Newby presented the Quarterly and Annual reports for Phoenix-N-Peace. They currently operated two group homes in Prince William County; Mansfield Court and New Haven Group Homes. They are currently serving five individuals.

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVOCATE REPORT

Kevin Paluszak, Human Rights Advocate, presented the following:

- 1. The START Program has five programs across the State of Virginia. Three of the programs are operated by CSBs and two are operated by Easter Seals. The program was designed to provide crisis stabilization to reduce hospitalizations. There seems to be confusion as to roles and responsibilities.
- 2. The CHRIS reporting system of incidents to DBHDS has been up and running. There are still some providers that are not using the system.
- 3. Informed the Committee that there might be an issue coming to them around a Do Not Resuscitate Order in a group home.
- 4. He is working with behavior specialists in the region to try to develop universal behavior plans.

PROGRAM VISITS TO AFFILIATE PROGRAMS

The Committee plans to visit the Mansfield Group Home operated by Phoenix-N-Peace on July 24, 2013.

OTHER BUSINESS:

None.

ADJOURNMENT

RESOLUTION 07-10-11

MOTION: Beard SECOND: Mahaffee

There being no further business to discuss, the July 10, 2013 meeting of the Local Human Rights Committee was adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Vote:

Ayes—Mahaffee, Horak, Beard
Nays—None
Absent During Vote—None
Absent From Meeting – Kelly, Pascoe, Stair